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Governor Aldrich

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trol of the common carrier and see them killed in the house.

in his power to see that it was sage of the bill resulted in an

One of the most important measures of this same session of tioned, was the railway commis-Official Paper of Dakota County sion law. This was a law which provided for the powers and duties of the new state railway eommission and contained a com-As a State Senator plete scheme of the method by which they could adjust the railway rates and the rates of the Governor Aldrich, candidate common carriers, sleeping car for re-election, served the same companies and telegraph and teleparison of their records is so Aldrich. It was revised by the which the governor was a mem-Governor Aldrich was a mem- ber and reintroduced as senate file ber of the famous legislature of No. 301 and passed substantially This legislature accom- in the form as originally drafted plished more in one session in the by Governor Aldrich. (Senate

union, such as Wisconsin, Oregon company or other common car- be calculated in dollars and cetus. the fourth toe that was cut off, and and Minnesota and others have riers. It is a poor man's court, been working at for a great many where all technicalities and red has always been one of vital imyears. It was the legislature of tape are done away with and it portance to the people of Ne-1907 that placed upon the statute is a noteworthy fact that since braska and something that directbooks such measures as the anti- the operation of this commission ly affected every citizen in the pass law, the primary election law, they have passed upon something state and prior to the legislature the pure food law, the 2-cent fare like 2,096 cases, of which not to of 1907 little or nothing had ever law, the freight rate reduction exceed six have been appealed to been accomplished in this state in and Mrs John Van Houten went to days. It is not expensive, and the law, the railway commission law, the courts. It will be readily seen the way of obtaining relief from Hubbard Friday, returning Saturday offerings we have now are of fine the express rate reduction law, that the saving in court costs and extortionate freight rates in this evening. They went to see John's quality. Geo Timlin. and many other measures of lesser attorneys' fees has been tremensession of which Governor Al- Grandma Mitchell, who is quite old importance. In all this legisla, down to plaintiffs, to say nothing daich was a member and a bill and feeble..., Mrs John Ashford was importance. In all this legisla- dous to plaintiffs, to say nothing

author of some of the most im- surance department of the state rates in the state. The bill was portant measures mentioned of Nebraska made an attempt to redrafted by Governor Aldrich so above, and assisted in drafting put upon the statute books eer as to provide for a hearing before Beardshear, living north of Winnebago tain constructive measures for the the railway commission for a was struck by lightning last evening. This legislation was not accom- purpose of protecting stockhold- raise or lowering of this rate if and was burned to the ground. It plished without a tremenduous ers in insurance companies and the the complaint of the shipper or contained a considerable quantity of few weeks struggle against the corporate and people of the state who were so- the railway company which was hay, wheat, harness, etc. special interests that had for years licitors for insurance against too low or too high. This gave run this state as they pleased, and fraudulent and swindling opera- the bill the element of elasticity at all times there was present dur- tions of all kinds. By reason of to make it fit the changing condiing the session of the legislature a his ability and his aggressive tions and as a result no appeal powerful lobby with abundant re- qualities the governor was select- has ever been taken from the ensources at their command to stifle ed by the insurance department to forcement of this law and as a and emasculate this legislation, take charge of these bills and in consequence the people of Nebut in spite of this, Governor Al-doing so he had the opposition of braska are today paying 25 per their daughter Blanch was united in chasers made from coal tar and other drick and his colleagues in the a most determined and powerful cent less express rates on all marriage to Earl McAfee. After the inferior goods that will not give rehouse and senate went straight insurance lobby, to say nothing of packages sent by them than they ahead and performed their duty the united opposition of a few did before that session and Govand as a result the state of Ne- reactionary members of this leg- ernor Aldrich is one of the membraska is one of the leading pro- islature. Governor Aldrich, how- bers of that legislature who is re gressive states in the union in the ever, succeeded in foreing these sponsible for the enactment of matter of up to date laws and con- bills through the senate only to this measure.

other corporations, and this is Another one of the important important measures that were conespecially remarkable when it is measures of this session with sidered by the legislature of 1907, remembered that it was all ac- which the name of Governor Al- of which Governor Aldrich was a complished in one short session drich has been connected prob- member, and this legislature will covering a period of a little more ably more than any other one always be remembered by the peomeasure was what is known as the ple of this state as one session One of the first measures that Aldrich freight rate bill. This which accomplished more in the was introduced in the session of bill is as effective a freight rate interests of good government than 1907 and upon which Governor reduction bill as was ever passed any session which had ever been Aldrich had an opportunity to in the state of Nebraska. For a held in the state of Nebraska he make a stand in favor of the peo- great many years the people of fore or since. ple was King's anti-pass bill. This this state had been trying to obwas a measure doing away with tain some relief from extertionate the pass evil that had been so freight rates. This bill of Govprevalent in Nebraska. Governor ernor Aldrich's provided for a 15 Aldrich not only voted for this per cent reduction on about 85 bill, but was one of its most tire-less advocates, doing everything shipped in Nebraska. The pas-

eents to the shippers of Nebraska. especially in such commodities as corn, live stock, lumber, etc., the net saving running all the way from \$4 to \$12 per car, amounting to over \$15,000,000 since its

So much has been said lately with reference to primary elections and the doing away with the old convention system and the many abuses growing out of it that a great many people have forgotten that the first direct pri mary law ever put upon the statute books was put there by this same legislature of 1907, of which Governor Aldrich was a member and the governor was himself one of the most active and influential members in assisting to pass this law. The benefits of such a system have been demonstrated clearly to the people of this state so many times that any comment with reference to the same is unnecessary. Prior to 1907 the rates charged

by the railway companies for the carriage of passengers was 3 cents per mile, excepting instances where reduced rates were provided for on certain classes of round-trip tickets for long distances. This 3-cent passenger rate worked this especial hardship up on the people who were traveling only short distances and this applied largely to people of moderate means. People who were able in about ten days. 1907, which has just been men- to take long journeys and take advantage of reduced excursion rates during the time when the 3-cent rate was in effect obtained a rate better than 2 cents a mile law reducing all passenger fares his summer sojourn in Iowa. He left within the state of Nebraska to 2 Tuesday to visit his son Canfield Philbitterly opposed by the railroads were passed on the work of Prof Dell Gibson at the recent institute at Dait being charged that the same length of time in the senate as phone companies. The entire bill would be confiscatory and that John H. Moorhead, and a com- was originally drawn by Governor that could not be possible in such heard remarking that they would like a rate. A great increase in local the privilege of teaching with Prof striking as to deserve especial at- joint committee of the senate, of travel, however, has since demon- Gibson as superintendent. strated that any loss has been more than made good and, as a line of progressive legislation and Journal, 425 to 655.)

in the interests of the people of As a result of the passage of they did under the old system. Nebraska than had ever been ac- this bill, the people of this state The saving to people in the state complished for the past 30 years, now have a court in which they who are compelled to ride upon last week by a horse stepping on the and accomplished more in one can obtain a speedy redress of passenger trains, of course, has toe. The Star mentions as peculiar session than many states in the any complaint against a railroad been so enormous that it cannot about the accident the fact that it was

> The matter of express rates drich was a member and a bill was introduced providing for a In the session of 1907, the in- cut of 25 per cent on all express afternoon by a call from Mrs Tom Ash

> > The above are some of the most

Items of Interest

from our Exchanges

EMERCIAL ACRESIA MONORIA MONOR yre visited at Jackson and Hubbard, Friday and Saturday.

Sloan, Io, Star: Mr and Mrs John Shreve and Mr and Mrs F L Walker spent Saturday in Dakota City, Neb.

Oakland Independent: Gcorge Kohlmeier and wife and Mr and Mrs Utecht, of Wakefield, are visiting at the Fred Burmester home.

Heaton were at Dakota City lust week and visited with Mrs Heaton's sister-Mrs Pete Mannion and husband.

Martinsburg Items in Ponca Journal: Beth Pettit went to Maskell Tuesday to spend the week with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Davis.

Salix Items in Sloap, Io. Star: Mr and Mrs S Cone attended the Old Settlers' pienie at Dakota City Thursday, returning home Sunday accompanied by Ralph and Mary Linksweler. The former will attend school here.

Ponca Journal: W J Armour and friends in Keyser's Park ... Sheriff name of F E Colly. Maskell and wife and children were at the pienic at Dakota City last Thurs-

enormous saving in dollars and day and from there went to Sioux City.

Waterbury Items in Ponca Journal: Harry Marron went to Dakota Caty to attend the Pienie Thursday Frank Lonser, of Martinsburg, took an auto load from here to Dakota City, Thursday Miss Christopherson, of Crofton, is here spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs Martha Christopherson, west of here.

Wakefield Items in Wayne Democrat: Walter Carlson and Grace Davis were married at Crystal Lake, Wednesday evening. They will be en-tertained in the Steckleberg cottage a few days before returning to their home in Wakefield. They have the best wishes of their many friends for a happy and successful life.

Walthill Times: Dr and Mrs Ream. Miss Agnes and Mabel drove to Omaha in their car Tuesday Dr Smith, Miss Hirsch, Malcom Smith and E J Smith enjoyed a Sunday dinder at the home of Dr Ream Mr and Mrs Geo Durkee and children, Stanley and Ruth, of Omaha, were guests of Dr and Mrs Ream this week.

Sioux City Journal, 9th: With medium stage of water in the Missouri river, the government revetment crew working on the Dakota county, Neb, shore is waking rapid progress with the protection work. About 1,600 feet of shore line has been graded and the force of mat weavers is following closely with the willow blanket, which will turn back the current from the land. The government quarter boats will be moved to the Nebraska shore

Lyons Mirror: Clarence Rasdal, of Homer, one of the members of the wide-awake graduating class of 1911, was a Lyons visitor this week Ma-The legislature of 1907 passed a jor Charles Phillips is back again from cents per mile. This law was lips at Fremont..., Many compliments kota City. Many of the teachers of the different surrounding towns were

Wayne Democrat: Chas Culler armatter of fact, the railroads are rived here last Friday and packed his making more money by hauling goods preparatory to removing to passengers at 2 cents a mile and Hartington ... Philo Graves arrived doing away with all passes than here from the Pacific coast last Saturday afternoon. His many friends were delighted to see him A 12 year old girl near Homer had a toe cut clear off that the toe on either side was not injured, which causes one io wonder how large they grow feet on the girls about

> Winnebago Chieftain: Walter Niebuhr and Miss Carroll Lee attended very agreeably surprised on Monday ford, Mrs C F Nichols, Misses Maggie. Ellinora and Pearl Murphy, all of Homer A barn belonging to Ed

Allen News: Mr and Mrs Frank Hale returned Thursday night from at Lincoln came up last Friday and Dakota City, where they attended the took back George Nelsen, who escaped Old Settlers' picnic....In the prettily from there the week before. decorated parlor of Mr and Mrs William Renniger southeast of Waterbury ped a car of hogs Wednesday, on Wednesday, Sept 4, at 11:30 a m, ceremony, which was performed by Rev H S Linton, of Springbank, a well prepared dinner was served. Only the guarantee to do the work or your monimmediate relatives were present who ey will be refunded. Geo Timlin. ney through life together. Mr and Mrs McAfee had their plans so well day at the Herman Nelsen home. made to escape the usual shower of rice, etc, that while the gnests were Anderson Co's, planning an attack, an auto stopped at the gate long enough for them to at the county seat Tuesday. spring in and get safely away on a short wedding trip.

Pender Republic: Word was received in Pender the latter part of and a large line of pants, overalls and last week that Mr and Mrs Lloyd Jeep, jackets for men, at C Anderson Co's, of Modale, Io. were the proud parents of a 104 pound boy. Grandma Crinklittle fellow A man representing that he will recover . himself to be George Hartwig, of Peuder, bought an auto of the Bennett Co in Sioux City last Monday and gave a check for \$1,514. The manager of the company had recently been in Pender, Timlin. made a purchase at the Hartwig store Ponca Leader: Miss Mary McIn- while here, consequently, accepted the man's story as genuine, took the check and allowed him to take the car. The check was made ont on the First National bank at Pender and was sent recovery. down Tuesday morning for collection It was a printed check with the name of "George Hartwig, Clothier," print- C Anderson Co sells it. ed just under the name of the bank. The color of the paper and the style of printing were different from anything week, the First National had ever had, so it at once aroused the suspicion of the bank people. When it was shown to Newcastle Times: Mr and Mrs Buel Harwing he confirmed the suspicion of forgery. The Bennett Auto Co were notified. They said the man who gave it was a beavy set man with heavy beard. That he bought the car, employed a driver from the garage and left for Des Moines. Two men from the Bennett Co were in Pender Wed. Anderson Co. nesday morning and said they heard from the driver after they left Sioux City but that nothing had been heard of them since it was known that the check was a forgery. Later-H D forged the check had been landed in here. Geo Timlin. jail in Des Moines, that the car had been recovered and the driver was on family, of Allen, spent Sunday with his way to Sioux City. He gave the bett and family, and Mrs Pedersen turned to their home in Boston, Mass,

Real estate loans, Geo Wilkins,

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HUBBARD.

A dance will be given in the Danish Brotherhood hall Friday night. School supplies of all kinds at (Anderson Co's.

Rert Dyer and wife visited in South Sioux City last week.

Word was received here last week that Mr Bostleman, of Beverstedt, Germany, died August 24th. Mr

Bostleman was Mrs Mundy's father. Cheese is an excellent food which the fair at Lincoln yesterday Mr you may substitute for meat these

Henry Hansen was a city passenge Tuesday.

Tom Long and wife were city shoppers one day last week. We have a dandy new line of school shoes for the children. C Auderson

Amanda Nelsen went to Sioux Ctty, Monday, where she will remain for

Two packages of Maple Flakeswhile they last-C Anderson Co's. A representative of the state asylum

Tom Graham and Hayes Bros ship

sults, get a can of Lee's Fly Curo today. We sell it with an absolute Mr and Mrs Rasmussen visited Sun-

Light weight caps for fall wear at C

Fred Bartels was a business caller

Jack Duggan came up from Pender, Tuesday, to be present at the Long-Hall wedding. Children's clothing, for school wear

Ray Francisco is very ill at the St Joseph's hospital, Sioux City, with a law has gone over to help care for the case of blood poisoning. It is hoped

We have just received a fine lot of lew dishes which you may have by the set or piece. Come in when you Friday for Syracuse, Neb, to take up need anything in this line. Geo her duties as teacher in the high school

The infant child of Mr and Mrs Wm Reninger has been seriously ill from summer complaint. At this writing the little one is slightly on the way to No coffee gives the satisfaction for

the money that Millar's coffee does, Mrs Leedom was an over night visitor in the city the latter part of last

School stockings-the celebrated arrow brand— at C Anderson Co. Leo Biede, who has been on the sick list the past week, is again able to be

around. Wilfred E Voss was in Hubbard, Tuesday. Bring in your produce, butter, eggs,

etc. We always pay the top price. C John Killackey, of Bloomfield, vis-

ited in Hubbard, Sunday. Mr and Mrs Carl Anderson were city visitors Monday. All our candies are carefully bought

Rixen, who is the Pender agent for the and come from a factory we know to Bennett Auto Co, received word Wed- be absolutely right. Always fresh and nesday afternoon that the man who clean. You can suit your sweet tooth Mr and Mrs H Hansen, Mr and Mrs

J Johnsen, Mrs Paul Sharp, John Hart- Hartnett home the past two weeks, rethe wrecked train but luckily they all Mrs Hartnett. escaped injury.

AK-SAR-BEN



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JACKSON.

Dan Twohig, who spent a few weeks acation with his folks at Vista, departed Monday for Troy, Kas.

chool the coming year. Jack Clark arrived home from Stillwater, Okla, Saturday, to resume his studies in the high school.

Daisy Reed is visiting Mrs Clara Mitchell at Dixon, Neb. M Mivnaugh and wife drove to Al-

en. Sunday to spend a few days with friends there. John Daily shelled 1,000 bushels of

corn the first of the week and John Boler 4,000, which they delivered to the elevator here. James Junk and wife, of Sioux City,

were guests in the D Hogan home one day last week. Mr Wellington, of Allen, was in Jackson between trains last Thursday,

Mary Hartnett, of Hubbard, was a week end guest in the T J and William Hartnett homes.

enroute to Ponca to visit his daughter,

Mrs Maskell.

Aona Hartnett returned the last of the week from a visit with Florence Love at Ponca, Neb.

Marie Goodfellow departed last John B Schaben and children moved

Monday into one of Mrs Mary Mullalv's houses near town. Mr and Mrs James Nolan, of Vista, were guests in the J A Hall home Sun-

Margaret Quinn began teaching in

were city passengers Wednesday on Tuesday. The former is a cousin of

Miss Gertrude May Hall, daughter county bottom. I have Eimers. it.

of Mr and Mrs Joseph A Hall and Edward Long, of Hubbard, were married Wednesday morning at St Patrick's church, Rev W J O'Bullivan officiating. Lucretia Maun, of Blair, Neb, ar- Miss Helen Long and Raymond Hall rived Saturday evening to attend attended the bridal couple. The groom is well and favorably known here and has the best wishes of his friends. The bride was born and raised here and is a grabuate of St Catherine's academy and has been one of Dakota county's successful school teachers. A wedding breakfast was served to the immediate relatives after the ceremony. The young couple then left for a western honeymoon trip. The bride traveled in a suit of brown with hat and gloves to match.

> First publication 9-13-4w NOTICE OF OPENING ROAD.

To all whom it may concern:
State of Nebraska, Dakota county, ss.
The commissioner appointed to locate and report on a proposed road commencing on the section line between sections thirty-four (3t) and thirty-five (35) in township twenty-seven (7), range eight (8) eat of the sixth (6th) P. M., in Dakota county, Nebraska, and running thence north on the section line between sections thirty-four (34) and thirty-five (35), and sections twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27) and sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), all six (26) and twenty-seven (27) and sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), all in said township and range, to the north-east corner of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said section twenty-two (22) and running thence east to intersect with the public road known as the Homer and Winnebago road and there terminate, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto, or claims for damages, must be filed in the county Clerk's office on or before noon of the 8th day of November, A. D., 1912, or such road will be established without further reference thereto.

Dated September 7th, A. D., 1912.

Geo Wilkins, County Clerk.

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SIDEWALK RESOLUTION OF VILLAGE

Margaret Quinn began teaching in the Andrew Anderson district near Vista, Monday.

Rev Wm O'Sullivan, who has been assistant pastor of the Catholic parish in O'Neill, Neb, for thhe past four years, has been transferred to St Patrick's parish here.

The Misses Editha Kearney, Margaret Hartnett and Anna Clark, departed Tuesday for Sinsinawa, Wis, to attend school at St Clara's college.

Marie Sutherland, of Ponca, is taking a course in instrumental music at St Catheride's academy.

During the electric storm Monday night Joseph Hodgins had his barn burned. He succeeded in getting the horses out but lost all his harness, etc. The Jackson bail team played Hubbard on the grounds here Sunday and were defeated by a score of 12 to 4.

Mrs J W Finnell arrived home from Denver, Monday evening.

The Misses Mary Lawless and Nellie Gordon who were guests in the T J Hartnett home the past two weeks, returned to their home in Boston, Mass, Tuesday. The former is a cousin of the succeeded of the T J Hartnett home the past two weeks, returned to their home in Boston, Mass, Tuesday. The former is a cousin of the succeeded of the T J Hartnett home the past two weeks, returned to their home in Boston, Mass, Tuesday. The former is a cousin of the succeeded of the succeeded of the St Allege Clerk, Village Clerk,

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